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Applicant : Yutaka Osajima et al.
Title : CONTINUOUS PROCESSING METHOD AND CONTINUOUS
PROCESSING APPARATUS FOR LIQUID-FORM SUBSTANCE,
AND LIQUID-FORM SUBSTANCE PROCESSED THEREBY
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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 1, 2004, please
amend the application, as follows:

Amendments to Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.